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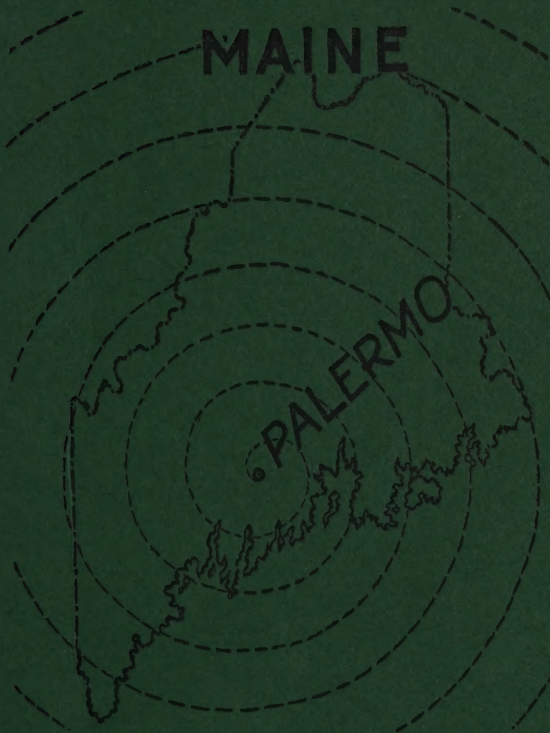
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**ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
MUNICIPAL OFFICERS
OF THE
TOWN OF PALERMO**



FOR THE MUNICIPAL YEAR 1960

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Hutchins Brothers, Thorndike, Maine

TOWN WARRANT

To George F. Shorey, a Constable in the Town of Palermo, in the County of Waldo, in the State of Maine:

In the name of the State of Maine you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of said town, qualified by law to vote in town affairs, to meet on the eleventh day of March, 1961, at ten o'clock in the forenoon at the Branch Mills Grange Hall, in said Town, to act on the following articles, to wit:

- Art. 1. To choose a Moderator to preside at said meeting.
- Art. 2. To choose a Town Clerk for the ensuing year.
- Art. 3. To choose a Board of Selectmen for the ensuing year.
- Art. 4. To choose a Board of Assessors for the ensuing year.
- Art. 5. To choose an Overseer of the Poor for three years.
- Art. 6. To choose one member of the Superintending School Committee for the term of three years.
- Art. 7. To see how many Road Commissioners the Town will elect for the ensuing year.
- Art. 8. To elect one or more Road Commissioners for the ensuing year.

- Art. 9. To see what method the Town will take to collect taxes for the ensuing year and act on same.
- Art. 10. To elect a Tax Collector for the ensuing year.
- Art. 11. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.
- Art. 12. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to appoint four additional Assessors to help revalue the Town.
- Art. 13. To choose all other necessary Town Officers for the ensuing year.
- Art. 14. To see if the Town will vote to adopt the Australian form of electing the Town Officers starting in 1962.
- Art. 15. To see if the Town will vote to accept the sum of Two Hundred (\$200.00) Dollars from Elvin Turner, the principal to be kept intact and the income to be used for the care of Elvin Turner and Ansel Glidden Lots in the Hannan Cemetery.
- Art. 16. To see if the Town will accept One Hundred (\$100.00) Dollars from Lottie Lane, the principal to be kept intact and the income to be used for the care of the Lottie Lane Lot in the New Greeley Corner Cemetery.
- Art. 17. To see if the Town will vote to have the Tax Collector have regular office hours at least one night a week.

- Art. 18. To see what sum of money the Town will raise and appropriate for Town Officers' Bills.
Recommended \$2,000.00
- Art. 19. To see if the Town wishes to carry forward at the Selectmen's discretion, unexpended balances to the same accounts for the ensuing year.
- Art. 20. To see if the Town wishes to publish the names of Town paupers in the Town Report for the ensuing year.
- Art. 21. To see what sum of money the Town wishes to raise and appropriate for bush control.
Recommended \$400.00
- Art. 22. To see what sum of money the Town wishes to raise and appropriate for Snow Removal and ice control.
Recommended to Raise \$3,000.00
Appropriate from Excise \$1,000.00
- Art. 23. To see what sum of money the Town wishes to raise and appropriate for Town Poor.
Recommended \$200.00
- Art. 24. To see what sum of money the Town wishes to raise and appropriate for Town Roads and Bridges.
Recommended to raise \$2,000.00
Appropriate from excise \$2,000.00
- Art. 25. To see what sum of money the Town will raise and appropriate for State Aid Road Construction (in addition to the amounts regularly

raised for the care of ways, highways and bridges) under the provisions of Sections 44 and 49 or 50 of Chap. 23, R. S. 1954 (as amended). Recommended \$2,132.00

- Art. 26. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,656.11 for annual payment due Dec. 1, 1961 on the Maine School Building Authority Bonds. This sum to be composed of what would normally be raised for the State Tax plus whatever supplementary sum may be necessary. If the amount of State Tax should be greater than the \$2,656.11, only that amount shall be raised necessary to meet the above amount.
- Art. 27. To see whether or not the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Fifty (50.00) Dollars to be paid to the State of Maine Publicity Bureau to be expended and used for advertising the natural resources, advantages and attractions of the State of Maine in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 91, Section 108, of the Revised Statutes of 1954.
- Art. 28. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of \$100.00 for Public Health Nursing in Palermo. Said sum to be expended by the Maine Department of Health and Welfare, Bureau of Health for local service.
Recommended
- Art. 29. To see what sum of money the Town will raise and appropriate for Civil Defense purposes.

- Art. 30. To see if the Town will vote to have a Street Light installed near Lydia Kitchin's residence. If so, to see if the Town will raise the necessary sum of money.
- Art. 31. To see what sum of money the Town will raise and appropriate for Street Lights.
Recommended \$80.00
- Art. 32. To see what sum of money the Town will raise and appropriate for Town Charges.
Recommended \$1,000.00
- Art. 33. To see what sum of money the Town wishes to raise and appropriate for the Palermo Volunteer Fire Department
Recommended \$500.00
- Art. 34. To see what sum of money the Town will raise and appropriate for its share of Aid to Dependent Children grants made to persons settled on the Town of Palermo.
Recommended \$850.00
- Art. 35. To choose five members of the Citizens' Development Group if the Town wishes to continue the activities of this group.
- Art. 36. To see what sum of money the Town will raise and appropriate for the care of cemeteries.
Recommended \$100.00
- Art. 37. To see what sum of money the Town will vote to raise or appropriate for the Fire Alarm System.
Recommended \$162.00

- Art. 38. To see what sum of money the Town will raise and appropriate for schools for the ensuing year. Recommended \$23,500.00
- Art. 39. To see what sum of money the Town will raise and appropriate for the School Hot Lunch program. Recommended \$250.00
- Art. 40. To see what sum of money the Town will raise and appropriate for school repairs and equipment. Recommended \$650.00
- Art. 41. To see if the Town will vote to have the School Committee put a summarized Report of their expenses, including the School Lunches, in the annual Town Report. Recommended
- Art. 42. To see if the Taxpayers of Palermo would like to have "all" the school expenses itemized in Town Report every year. Not Recommended
- Art. 43. To see if the Town will vote to pay to the Town of Liberty \$75.00 for the use of their Town Dump for the taxpayers of the Town of Palermo.
- Art. 44. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to trade the present Power Grader No. 212 for a new Power Grader.
- Art. 45. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to sell any and all real estate acquired by tax liens and to give quit-claim deeds to same.

- Art. 46. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to borrow money for the use of the Town upon credit of the Town.
- Art. 47. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to put the Town Grader out for hire at their discretion.
- Art. 48. To see if the Town will vote to choose a Budget Committee of seven members for the ensuing year; if so, to elect same.

The Selectmen give notice that they will be in session for the purpose of revising and correcting the list of town voters at the Town Office at nine o'clock in the forenoon of said eleventh day of March, 1961. Hereof fail not and have you then and there this warrant with your doings thereon.

Given under our hands this 10th day of February, A. D., 1961.

CLAIR S. BRADSTREET

FORREST E. HOWARD

ROSS N. HANNON

ASSESSORS' REPORT

Year Ending Feb. 1, 1961

Valuation			
	Real Estate	Personal	Total
Resident	\$166,240.00	\$54,500.00	\$220,740.00
Non-Resident	116,470.00	20,700.00	137,170.00
Total			<hr/> \$357,910.00
Value of Land	\$132,500.00		
Value of Buildings	150,210.00		
Number of Polls Taxed		144	
Number of Polls not Taxed		21	
Number of Cattle Taxed		385	
Number of Cattle not Taxed		135	
Number of Fowl Taxed		8,770	
Number of Broilers Taxed		78,500	
RATE OF TAXATION			.103

Amount of Taxes Assessed in 1960

Bush Control	\$ 400.00
Snow Removal and Sanding	3,000.00
Town Officers	2,100.00
Town Roads	2,000.00
State Aid	2,132.00
Schools	22,200.00
School Lunch	350.00
School Bond	2,721.08
Health Nurse	100.00
Street Lights	72.00
County Tax	2,122.90
Overlay	98.75
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Appropriated from Excise Tax

Town Roads and Bridges	\$2,000.00
Snow Removal	500.00
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	\$2,500.00

Appropriated from Surplus

Poor	\$300.00
Fire Department	500.00
Town Charges	800.00
Aid to Dependent Children	700.00
School Repairs and Equipment	850.00
Citizens Development Group	200.00
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	\$3,350.00

Supplemental Taxes	1959	\$ 3.00
Supplemental Taxes	1960	458.78

Tax Exemptions:

Sheepscot Lake Grange	560.00
Branch Mills Grange	1,130.00

Veteran's Exemptions

American Legion Home	\$ 250.00
Bradstreet, O. T.	1,563.00
Bean, Raymond & Alice	323.00
Clark, Herbert	100.00
Finley, Emma	20.00
Foster, John	560.00
Glidden, George & Esther	1,070.00
Plummer, Arthur	620.00
Powell, Winfield	1,600.00
Hooper, Thaddeous O.	840.00

Strout, Everett M.	660.00
Snell, Walter	3.00
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	\$7,609.00

CLAIR S. BRADSTREET

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Assessors of Palermo

SELECTMEN'S REPORT

Town Charge

Balance brought foward		\$ 365.18
Appropriated		800.00
Income		393.82
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Total		\$1,559.00
Expended	\$1,541.49	
Balance	17.51	

Town Officers

Appropriated		\$2,100.00
Expended	\$2,019.21	
Balance	80.80	

Street Lights

Appropriated		\$ 72.00
Expended	\$ 72.00	
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Volunteer Fire Department

Appropriated		\$	500.00
Expended	\$	500.00	

Fire Alarm

Balance brought foward		\$96.00
Expended	\$86.00	
Balance	10.00	

Forest Fire Account

Balance brought foward	\$	551.85
Expense	None	

Public Health Nurse

Appropriated		\$100.00
Expended	\$100.00	

Temporary Loans

First National Granite Bank		\$15,000.00
Expended	\$15,000.00	

County Tax

Appropriated		\$2,122.90
Expended	\$2,122.90	

Cemetery Funds

Overdraft 1959	\$151.00	
Income		\$151.00

Expended	191.25
Overdraft	191.25

Dennis Hill Cemetery

Balance brought forward	\$ 38.40
Expended	None

Citizens Development Group

Appropriated	\$200.00
Expended	\$ 2.42
Balance	197.58

Tractor House

Balance brought forward	\$ 115.37
Expended	None

Aid to Dependent Children

Balance brought foward	\$ 36.92
Appropriated	700.00
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	736.92
Expended	\$ 740.34
Overdraft	3.42

Poor Account

Balance brought forward	\$684.99
Appropriated	300.00

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Income		18.00
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		\$1,002.99
Expended	\$502.50	
Balance	500.49	

Snow Removal and Sanding

Balance brought forward		\$ 114.80
Appropriated		3,000.00
Appropriated from Excise		500.00
Received from State of Maine		2,819.70
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Total		\$6,434.50
Expended	6,984.67	
Overdraft		550.17

Town Roads and Bridges

Balance brought forward		\$ 436.00
Appropriated		2,000.00
Appropriated from Excise		2,000.00
Other Income		120.78
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Total		\$4,556.78
Expended	\$4,608.38	
Overdraft		51.60

State Aid Road

Appropriated		\$2,132.00
Received from State of Maine		4,564.50
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Total		\$6,696.50
Expended by Town	\$6,696.50	

Expended by State	963.20
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Town Road Improvement

Received from State	\$4,800.30
Expended	\$4,800.30

Bush Control

Balance brought forward	\$ 83.00
Appropriated	400.00
Total	\$483.00
Expended	\$376.00
Balance	107.00

Maine School Building Authority Bond

Appropriated	\$2,721.08
Expended	\$2,721.08

Schools

Appropriated	\$22,200.00
Received from State	1,101.00
Received from State	9,731.00
Total	\$33,032.00
Expended	\$32,828.05
Balance	\$203.95

School Repairs

Balance brought forward	\$ 113.06
Appropriated	850.00
Total	\$ 963.06

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Expended	\$908.95
Balance	54.11

School Lunch

Balance brought forward	\$	121.00
Appropriated		350.00
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		\$471.00
Expended	\$427.08	
Balance	43.92	

School Equipment

Balance brought forward	\$	24.07
Expended	None	

Town Dump

Balance brought forward	\$300.00
Expended	\$ 75.00
Balance	225.00

Town Grader

Balance brought forward	\$1,212.86
Income	3,240.56
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Total	\$4,453.42
Expended	\$1,900.68
Balance	2,552.74

Town Charges Detail

Auditor	\$ 200.00
Collector's Costs	142.77
Clerk's Costs	18.00
Insurance	161.53
Interest	234.17
Miscellaneous	336.58
Social Security	152.57
Town Reports 1959	206.78
Treasurer's Costs	41.57
Telephone	10.75
Office Supplies	36.77
Total	<hr/> \$1,541.49

Town Officers Detail**Selectmen:**

Clair S. Bradstreet	\$ 300.00
Forrest E. Howard	200.00
Ross N. Hannon	150.00

Assessors:

Clair S. Bradstreet	110.00
Forrest E. Howard	75.00
Ross N. Hannon	55.00

Treasurer:

Manley L. Nelson	350.00
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Tax Collector:

Harold E. Sennett	450.00
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Town Clerk:

Virginia Dowe	80.20
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Constable:

Fred Shorey	45.00
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Moderator:

Manley L. Nelson	5.00
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Overseers of Poor:

Clair S. Bradstreet	35.00
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Stanley E. Foster	15.00
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Manley L. Nelson	10.00
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School Committee:

Walter C. Banton	25.00
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Claude K. Archer	25.00
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Elizabeth Leeman	25.00
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Ballot Clerks:

Donzella Glendenning	16.00
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Melissa Sennett	16.00
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Harriett Black	16.00
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Edna Willoughby	8.00
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Beverly Haskell	8.00
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Street Lights

Paid Central Maine Power Company	\$72.00
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Cemeteries Expenses

Cain Cemetery

Melvin Higgins	\$ 3.00
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New Greeley Corner Cemetery

Gustave Kaufman	62.00
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Old Greeley Corner Cemetery	
Gustave Kaufman	61.25
Perkins Cemetery	
George Studley, Jr.	25.00
Hannan Cemetery	
Winfield Powell	10.00
Mt. Lenfest Cemetery	
Ross N. Hannon	10.00
Smith Cemetery	
M. D. Saban	20.00
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Total	191.25

Citizens Development Group

Paid Melissa Sennett	\$ 2.42
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Poor Account

Expended	\$502.50
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Aid to Dependent Children

Paid the State of Maine	\$740.34
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County Tax

Paid the Treasurer of Waldo County	\$2,122.90
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Temporary Loans

First National Granite Bank	\$15,000.00
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Health Nurse

Paid the State of Maine	\$100.00
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Fire Alarm

Eastern Telephone Company	86.00
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Palermo Fire Department

Palermo Volunteer Fire Department	\$500.00
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Snow Removal and Sanding Details

Banton, W. C. Inc.	\$4,000.00
Belden, Arthur	67.45
Downer, George	23.35
Dyer, Howard	53.05
Dyer, Harold	701.76
Dyer, David	89.38
Dyer, Richard	16.88
Dyer, Ronald	43.13
Dyer, Gary	18.13
Dyer, Herbert	400.35
Dyer, Colin	63.53
Foster, Stanley	44.00
Glendenning, Myron	28.40
Hurd, David	1.20
Haskell, Wellman	35.40
Insurance	10.00
Keller, Dennis	46.00
Morang, Albert	58.80
Nelson, Mahlon	36.00
Plummer, Arthur	87.35
Pottle, Gerald	12.00

Rowe, Carold	3.60
Sennett, Harold	43.75
Soule, Frederick	4.20
W. H. Shurtleff and Company (Salt)	314.48
Saban, Millard	30.80
State of Maine	253.60
Taylor, H. C.	20.00
Tibbetts, John (Sand)	42.40
Tobey, Kempton (Shovel)	64.00
Tobey, Kempton (Truck)	61.60
Tobey, Elwood (Truck)	61.60
Willoughby, Dean	4.20
Wellman, Sherwin	6.00
Wellman, Paul	59.00
Wade, Arnold	179.28
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Total	\$6,984.67

Town Roads and Bridges Details

Ashmon, R. I. (Gravel)	\$ 4.00
Banton, W. C. Inc.	147.25
Belden, Arthur	257.83
Bailey Melvin	2.40
Calcium	531.96
Culverts	422.32
Colby, Mrs. Chester (Gravel)	13.20
Dyer, Harold	309.83
Dinsmore Grain Co.	2.96
Grotton, Shelden	17.50
Glidden, M. H. Inc. (Trucks)	270.20
Glidden, M. H. Inc. (Loader)	241.95
Glidden, M. H. Inc. (Bulldozer)	194.88
Haskell, Cony	28.00
Haskell, Wellman	16.00
Mathieson, James	426.75

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Morang, Albert	27.78
Moody, Allen	10.65
Nelson, Mahlon	248.25
Nelson, Royce	17.77
Nelson, Keith	7.50
Plummer, Arthur	5.40
Sennett, Harold	4.20
Stickney, Claybon	7.50
Saban, Millard	106.00
Town of Palermo (Grader)	853.50
Tobey, Elwood	69.30
Tobey, Kempton (Truck)	135.00
Tobey, Kempton (Gravel)	99.90
Tobey, Kempton (Backhoe)	69.00
Tibbetts, John	3.60
Wellman, Paul	56.00
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Total	\$4,608.38

State Aid Road Details

Belden, Arthur	\$ 456.18
Culverts	141.06
Childs, Stephen	15.98
Clement, Reginald	216.75
Dyer, Royce	31.50
Dyer, Richard	59.01
Dyer, Harold	484.58
Dynamite and Caps	158.53
Fill	141.95
Gravel	316.80
Grotton, Sheldon	21.25
Glidden, M. H. Inc. (Bulldozer)	1,467.81
Glidden, M. H. Inc. (Backhoe, Shovel, Truck, Chain Saw)	2,005.81
Mathieson, James	9.00

Moody, Allen	21.30
Nelson, Mahlon	371.70
Nelson, Royce	34.00
Swift, Gordon	7.25
Stickney, Claybon	328.88
State Sand and Gravel (Compressor)	285.20
Town of Palermo	18.00
Tobey, Elwood	23.10
Tobey, Kempton	80.86
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Total	\$6,696.50

Town Road Improvement Details

Belden, Arthur	\$ 268.03
Culverts	434.88
Dyer, Harold	273.35
Glidden, M. H. Inc. (Bulldozer)	1,507.79
Glidden, M. H. Inc. (Backhoe, Trucks and Loader)	1,133.74
Gravel	371.20
Mathieson, James	13.50
Morang, Albert	45.00
Nelson, Mahlon	321.48
Nelson, Keith	86.88
Town of Palermo	27.00
Tobey, Kempton	196.35
Tobey, Elwood	100.10
Wire	21.00
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Total	\$4,800.30

Bush Control

Tozier's Spray Service	\$376.00
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Town Dump

Paid Town of Liberty	\$75.00
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Grader Details**Income:**

State of Maine	\$ 561.01
Town of Searsmont	286.13
Town of Palermo	898.50
Town of China	417.38
Town of Appleton	651.00
Town of Albion	84.10
Elwood Tobey	42.00
John Foster	18.00
Frank Lee	18.00
H. F. Friedman	9.00
Sproul Bros., Inc.	10.50
Robbins Lumber, Inc.	15.75
Albert Hall	26.26
Somerville Plantation	23.62
Insurance	179.31
Total	<hr/> \$3,240.56

Excise Tax

Paid Wellman Haskell & Sons, Overpayment on Excise Tax	\$100.23
Due from W. C. Banton, Inc. (Lucy Glidden Property)	\$900.00

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

1956

Uncollected Taxes, 1956

Gerald Copp \$49.20

Virginia Tracey 23.35

\$72.55

Paid Town Treasurer

1.25

1957

Uncollected Taxes, 1957

Joseph Delahunty \$43.00

Abatements 9.02

1958

Uncollected Taxes, 1959

Joseph Delahunty \$44.00

Virginia Tracey 26.40

\$70.40

Paid Town Treasurer

1.60

Abatements

6.16

1959

Uncollected Taxes, 1959

Donald Glidden 11.52

Wayne Reed 15.53

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Joseph Delahunty	48.00	
Abatements	48.96	
Tax Liens	1,084.20	
Collected, Paid		
Town Treasurer	2,492.21	
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		\$3,700.42
Uncollected 1959 Tax	\$3,697.42	
Supplemental Tax	3.00	
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		\$3,700.42
Commitment 1960	\$37,296.73	
Supplemental	458.78	
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		\$37,755.51
Collected, Paid		
Town Treasurer	\$33,603.67	
Uncollected Taxes 1960	4,151.84	
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		\$37,755.51
Excise Tax Paid Town Treasurer		
1960	\$3,709.09	
1961	648.35	
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		\$4,357.44
Excise Receipts on File		

Respectfully submitted,

HAROLD E. SENNETT

Tax Collector

Unpaid Taxes - Resident 1960

Melvin Bailey	\$ 98.94
Russell Brann	112.42
Russell and Mabel Brann	118.45
Grace Bronn	41.20
Herbert Dyer	5.00
Royce Dyer	45.32
William Davis	20.60
Herman & Pearl Davis	65.83
Walter Glidden	72.10
Donald Glidden	73.04
Elizabeth Gilley	118.45
Silas Hannan, Heirs	40.77
Virgil Hannan	37.59
Everett Jones	139.99
Bruce & Elizabeth Leeman	118.36
Alfred Loder	42.14
Charles Merrithew	49.35
Carrie Norton	78.28
James and Madeline O'Donnell	88.90
Richard Potter	55.19
David Potter	10.21
J. P. Potter & Sons	933.45
Gerald Pottle	43.11
Wayne Reed	102.39
Carroll Rowe	8.15
Joseph & Juanita Rines	34.65
Millard Sabans	59.14
Percy Saban	54.50
Frederick Soule	38.11
Stanley Soule	21.54
Charles and Marion Soule	5.15
E. D. Stevens	79.31

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Harry and Ellen Studley	32.25
Howard Vinton	8.15
Arnold & Rose Wade	24.03
Freelan Willoughby	200.46

Total Resident Unpaid Taxes 1960	\$3,076.52
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Unpaid Taxes Non-Resident 1960

David W. Blair	\$ 31.93
Lyle and Anne Blythe	47.38
Ernest Crocker Jr.	91.67
Copeland Bros.	61.80
Sheldon Day	55.62
Lionel and Katherine Giroux	66.95
Leo Humphrey	9.27
Charles Kallman	158.62
William Kurlovich	33.99
Walter Kahler	20.60
George Loder	36.05
Edward Loder	193.64
John and Alice Marshall	37.08
Lila Miller	16.48
O. R. Nelson, Heirs	49.44
Paul Nelson	25.75
C. A. Parmenter	3.09
Forest Royal	30.90
Bessie Studley	18.54
Cedric Sukeforth	39.14
Merle Seaverence	36.05
Paul Singewall	11.33

Total Non-Resident Unpaid Taxes 1960	\$1,075.32
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TREASURER'S REPORT

Balance Foward	\$5,202.37
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Received from Palermo Grader Use:

Town of Palermo	\$	898.50
John Foster		18.00
Elwood Tobey		42.00
Town of China		417.38
Frank Lee		18.00
Albert A. Hall		26.26
Robbins Lumber Co.		15.75
Town of Appleton		651.00
State of Maine		561.01
Town of Albion		84.10
Town of Searsmont		286.13
Somerville Plantation		23.62
Sprowl Bros., Inc.		10.50
H. F. Friedman Jr.		9.00
National Grange Mutual Ins. Co.		
(Damage to Grader)		179.31

\$3,240.56

Received from Palermo Health Club	60.60
Received from Carleton and Florence Flye for deed to Haskell & Studley Lot	60.00
Received from First National Granite Bank (Loans)	15,000.00
Received from David M. Losee for Wood Lots	1,800.00
Received from Lawrence N. Houle (Sale of A. J. Tobey or Stoddard Lot)	310.00
Received from Lawrence Gallant for Culvert	65.41
Received from Lawrence Glidden for Culvert	55.37
Received from Withholding Tax	1,799.95
Received from Social Security	116.97

Received from Tax Liens, Costs and Interest:

Gardiner Savings Institution for Lyle and Anne		
Blythe 1959 Lien	\$	47.86
Lawrence French, 1956 Liens		21.44
Charles Kallman, 1958 Liens		134.41
Melvin Bailey, 1959 Lien		77.58
Merritt and Leta Tibbetts on		
Russell Bradstreet 1957 Liens		126.85
Alfred and Esther Loder, 1958 Lien		20.00
H. C. Brown, 1959 Liens		68.28
Freeland Willoughby, 1959 Liens		194.67
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		691.09

Received from Leon Gilley		18.00
Received from Manley Nelson, Treas.		
Reimbursement on Cemetery Funds		151.00
Received from Marion Soule for Social Security		28.86
Received from Harold Sennett, Tax Collector		
1956 Tax		1.25
1958 Tax		1.60
1959 Taxes		2,492.21
1960 Excise		3,709.09
1960 Taxes		33,603.67
1961 Excise		648.35
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		\$40,456.17

Received from Treasurer, State of Maine

General Purpose Aid	\$1,101.00
Snow Removal	2,819.70
Bank Stock Tax	8.42
State Aid and T. R. I.	9,364.80
R. R. and Tel. Tax Refund	125.35

Dog License Refunds	104.97	
Educational Subsidies	9,731.00	
	<hr/>	\$23,255.24
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		\$92,311.59

Credits

Paid Selectmen's Warrants	\$86,793.56
Cash in Treasury ,First National Granite Bank	\$5,518.03

MANLEY L. NELSON

Treasurer

Collected Uncollected

1959 Lien	\$1,084.20	\$351.28	\$732.92
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Porcupine Account

Cash on Hand Feb. 1, 1960	\$41.00	
Due from State	19.00	
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Due from State	\$50.50	
Cash on Hand Feb. 1, 1961	9.50	
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Care of Cemeteries

Gustav Kaufman, New Greeley Cemetery	\$	62.00
Gustav Kaufman, Old Greeley Cemetery		61.25
M. D. Saban, Sr., Smith Cemetery		20.00

George Studley, Jr., Perkins Cemetery	25.00
Melvin Higgins, Cain Cemetery	3.00
Ross Hannan, Lenfest Cemetery	10.00
W. S. Powell, Hannan Cemetery	\$10.00

\$191.25

New Greeley Corner Cemetery

	Old Bal.	Int. Earned	Int. With'd	New Bal.
Cem. Fence Fund	\$174.00	\$5.25		\$179.25
C. & H. Bradstreet	201.16	7.18	7.00	201.34
W. W. Turner	50.81	1.80	2.00	50.61
Lottie Lane				
New Deposit	\$100 50.81	1.80	2.00	150.61
Lewis Latlip	71.71	2.52	3.00	71.23
C. & S. Nelson	50.83	1.80	2.00	50.63
C. A. Erskine	203.69	7.23	8.00	202.92
Edna Bowley	101.84	3.60	4.00	101.44
Silas Bowler	103.25	3.67	4.00	102.92
Harry Handy	101.73	3.60	4.00	101.33
E. & D. Hinkley	102.81	3.63	4.00	102.44
Pinkham, Bourassa	101.34	3.60	4.00	100.94
Gilbert Brown	102.77	3.64	5.00	101.41
Percy Saban	50.66	1.80	2.00	50.46
E. & J. Finley	101.89	3.60	4.00	101.49
Gustav Kaufmann	102.95	3.63	4.00	102.58
John P. Potter	100.00	3.47	3.00	100.47

Old Greeley Cemetery

General Fund	1,903.88	67.51	46.25	1,925.14
Geo. W. Turner	203.70	7.23	6.00	204.93
J. & H. Greeley	222.80	7.86	6.00	224.66
Pullen & Pinkham				
Lots	103.22	3.67	3.00	103.89

Fence Fund	36.66	1.28		37.94
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Perkins Cemetery

G. W. Black	103.18	3.10	3.00	103.28
O. E. Pawlowsky	328.14	11.63	6.00	333.77
Turner & Nelson	233.70	8.21	7.00	234.91
W. A. & N. Nelson	294.43	10.43	6.00	298.86
Earl Nelson	104.01	3.68	3.00	104.69

Smith Cemetery

Otis Hathorn	105.87	3.73	2.00	107.60
E. H. & D				
Foster Lots	210.55	7.44	5.00	212.99
Nicholas French Lot	218.97	7.73	3.00	223.70
Bryant & Foye Lots				
New Book	250.00	45.75	10.00	285.75

Center Cemetery

Batchelder Fund	536.30	16.21		552.51
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Cain Cemetery

Martha Belden Fund	278.65	8.40	3.00	284.05
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Hannon Cemetery

Andrew & Forest				
C. Tibbetts	300.00	7.47		307.47
A. & L. Turner Lots	317.59	11.19	10.00	318.78
Elvin Turner and				
Ansel Glidden				
New Book	200.00	3.75		203.75
E. L. Parmenter				
Cemetery	193.72	6.86		200.58
Lenfest Cem. Fd.	1,231.35	43.45	10.00	1,264.80
Osgood Cem. Fund	120.61	4.24		124.85
Dennis Hill Cem.	18.46	.64		19.10

REPORT OF PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE

Maine Department of Health and Welfare
Division of Public Health Nursing, Bureau of Health
Annual Report of Public Health Nursing Services in
Palermo for the Year 1960

Public health, in simple terms, is the sum total of the health of individuals and families living in a community.

An organized program for public health is one that offers those individuals and families every possible chance of living and enjoying life, free from the handicaps of preventable disease and disability. In more formal terms, the objective of a public health program is to bring to all the people the benefits of modern medical and related sciences including the care and rehabilitation of the sick and disabled, the promotion of healthful living, and the prevention and control of disease.

A number of people are involved in the attaining of this objective. All together they make up a "health team". The public health nurse is an essential member of this team. She shares in planning and action with other workers in the fields of health, education, and welfare; with physicians, hospitals, clinics; with school personnel; with citizen groups. One of her important functions is coordination with the others involved to provide public health services to individuals, families, and community. Citizens of the community are also essential members of the health team. Alert to the health needs of their

community, taking their share of responsibility to meet these needs, their contribution as health workers is indispensable to the effectiveness of the public health program. A vital, dynamic, working "health team" in the local community strengthens the public health not only of that community, but also of the State and the Nation.

The following is a brief summary of Public Health Nursing Services in 1960:

This year **3** Child Health Conferences were held with a total attendance of **61** infants and preschool children.

In the School Health program, physical examinations were given to the students of the second, fifth and eighth grades. As a result of this, it was noted that the outstanding health need is for dental care, as two-thirds of the students examined showed from severe to moderate dental defects.

A school immunization clinic for "boosters" for diphtheria, tetanus, smallpox and polio was held. It is gratifying to note that at least 98% of the children are completely protected for the above mentioned diseases.

Individual hearing tests for entering students, transfers and children referred by teachers is to be a yearly planned program.

In closing I thank you for your cooperation.

Respectfully submitted,

EUNICE S. NOLLET
Public Health Nurse

**REPORT OF THE
PALERMO VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT**

The Department had only ten calls this past year. These were five chimney, two grass, one car, one building fire and one false alarm. The major fire was at the Potter Farm at which we, along with two out-of-town departments, stood helplessly by as it was impossible to contend with such a conflagration.

Funds that were procured throughout the year were used to reduce the bank loan on the new truck to \$1,000.00, install a new oil heating system in the fire house, purchase new hose and make minor repairs on fire equipment.

Your cooperation in the past has been appreciated and will be necessary in the future.

Respectfully submitted,

James B. Mathieson, President

Milton E. Dowe, Fire Chief

VITAL STATISTICS

RECORDED IN THE TOWN OF PALERMO

From Feb. 1, 1960 to Feb. 1, 1961

Number of Marriages 5

Number of Births 6

Name of Deceased	Place of Death	Date of Death	Date of Birth	Place of Birth	Place of Burial	Town
Richard S. Hannon	Troy, Maine	March 20, 1960	Oct. 28, 1902	Liberty	Hannon Cemetery	Palermo
Jesse A. Emerson	Coopers Mills, Me.	March 5, 1960	April 2, 1885	Oakland, Maine	Lenfest Cemetery	Palermo
Barbara Blanche Young	Waterville	May 19, 1960	March 13, 1879	Parrsboro, Nova Scotia, Canada	Center	Palermo
Florence Louise Russell	New Gloucester, Me.	May 1, 1960	March 14, 1923	Maine	Mt. Hope	Augusta
Edwina B. T. Tower	Palermo	June 8, 1960	April 9, 1874	Saco	Payside	Lakeport, N. H.
Harold D. Bornstein	Palermo	Aug. 11, 1960	Nov. 27, 1888	Boston, Mass.	Wakefield	Wakefield, Mass.
Mary S. Crommett	China	Aug. 2, 1960	July 13, 1879	Palermo	Greeley Corner	Palermo
Alice Spratt Tibbetts	Quincy, Mass	July 19, 1960	Oct. 2, 1873	Palermo	Greeley Corner	Palermo
Russell Bradstreet	Waterville	Sept. 9, 1960	April 1, 1898	Palermo	Shermans Corner	Liberty
Joshua Grant Batchelder	Manchester, Maine	August 11, 1960	Mar. 14, 1870	Waterboro	Chadwick Hill	So. China
Nettie M. Downer	Vassalboro	Sept. 13, 1960	Dec. 13, 1866	Presque Isle	Greeley Corner	Palermo
Abraham Lincoln Moody	Kentfield, Calif.	Oct. 2, 1959	Oct. 10, 1860		New Greeley	Palermo
Bonnie Jean Haskell	Augusta, Maine	Oct. 26, 1960	Oct. 25, 1960	Augusta	Roberts Cemetery	China
Burleigh Turner	Washington, Maine	Jan. 24, 1961	Dec. 5, 1884	Liberty, Maine	Hannon Cemetery (In the Spring)	Palermo

VIRGINIA W. DOWE, Palermo Clerk

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Financial Statement

Resources

Raised by Town	\$22,200.00
State School Money	10,832.00
General Purpose Aid	9,681.00
Special Session	1,101.00
Professional Credit	50.00
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	\$33,032.00
Less Previous year overdraft	468.68
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Total Available	\$32,563.32

Liabilities

Elementary Teachers	\$9,900.99
Superintendent of Schools	965.62
Professional Credits	50.00
Secondary Tuition:	
Erskin Academy	9,640.97
Christian Schools Inc.	660.00
Me. School Dist. No. 3	341.03
Coburn Classical Instit.	577.87
Janitorial and Cleaning Service	928.00
Conveyance	6,680.53
Fuel	1,114.50
Text Books	442.74
Instructional Supplies	322.52
Janitorial Supplies	329.81
Electricity and Telephone	261.88

Office Expense	77.04	
Instructional Replacement-Desks	65.87	
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		\$32,359.37
Balance Feb. 1, 1961		203.95

Repair and Equipment

Balance on Hand Feb. 1, 1960	137.13	
Raised by Town	850.00	
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Total	987.13	
Paid on Order	908.95	
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Balance on Hand, Feb. 1, 1961		78.18

School Lunch

Balance on Hand, Feb. 1, 1960	121.00	
Appropriation	350.00	
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Total	471.00	
Paid on Order	427.08	
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Balance on Hand Feb. 1, 1960		43.92

Proposed Budget

Need

Elementary Teachers	
and Secretary	\$10,833.76
Secondary Tuition	14,601.06
Salary of Supt. of Schools	500.00
Janitor and Cleaning	925.00
Conveyance	6,680.53
Fuel	1,100.00

Textbooks & Supplies	1,200.00	
Electricity and Telephone	250.00	
Total		36,090.35

Sources

State Money	12,590.35
To Be Raised by Town	23,500.00
To Be Raised by Town for Repairs	650.00
To Be Raised by Town for Hot Lunch	300.00

In obtaining the services of the Powers Control Company we feel that considerable progress has been made in bringing about a better efficiency of the school heating plant. There is still some work to be executed on the plant. We improved the lunch room by installing storage cabinets as requested by the state lunch room inspector. Next year we hope to start some interior decorating.

The state gave us eleven hundred and one dollars of subsidy in February 1960 which was due for the previous year. They did not make good the shortage resulting this year. As to what the Legislature will appropriate for school money we do not care at this time to make any answer with certainty. As a matter of fact the amount of state money for next year has been estimated for each town by the State Department of Education. It will not be figured for distribution until after the close of Legislature. All citizens should exert their opinion to bring about full payment on the part of the state each and every year. Otherwise it is just an extra burden on the town as it is this year for the town of Palermo to the extent of eleven hundred and one dollars.

Respectfully submitted,

LEWIS L. GRAY

Superintendent of Schools

SCHOOL LUNCH PROGRAM

The Hot Lunch Program has been improved several ways this year. The new refrigerator, given by the School Club, is larger and the freezing compartment makes it possible to keep more meat on hand.

The new dish-washer, that Mr. Gray was able to get through the Government at no cost to the school, assures clean, sanitary dishes.

Cupboards have been built in the Cafeteria for canned foods and the counter tops have been re-covered.

The Program has had more protein (hamburg, turkeys, canned beef) from the Government this year, which is very helpful to the budget. Consequently, more Vitamin A and C foods have been served thereby improving the Program nutritionally.

Our financial situation through January 31 is as follows:

Income

Total		\$1,527.25
Payments by children	\$1,300.80	
Received from subsidy	148.30	
Adults - guests	78.15	

Expenditures

Total		\$1,513.16
Food	\$864.93	
Labor	574.80	
Napkins, gas, etc.	73.43	

This allows approximately sixteen (16¢) cents per meal, per child for food.

The kitchen is in need of new kettles and more silverware as there have been no replacements for several years. The Cafeteria tables have to be covered or replaced in the near future.

Respectfully submitted,

MARION SOULE, Supervisor

AUDITOR'S REPORT

February 14, 1961

To the Board of Selectmen,
Town of Palermo,
Palermo, Maine

Gentlemen:

As per your request, I have examined the books and records of the Town of Palermo for the year ending January 31, 1961

My examination was made in accordance with generally accepted auditing procedures, and in my opinion, the following schedules present the Town of Palermo's operations for the year ending January 31, 1961.

Respectfully submitted,

PHILIP N. TABER

SCHEDULE A

Comparative Balance Sheet
Year Ending January 31, 1961

	January 1961	January 1960
Assets		
Cash in Bank	\$5,518.03	\$5,202.37
Cash on Hand, Porcupine Fund	9.50	41.00
Accounts Receivable, State of Maine	50.50	19.00
Taxes Receivable	4,412.84	3,901.40
Tax Liens	732.92	921.55
Tax Acquired Property	893.73	824.08
Trust Funds	9,445.58	8,206.14
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	\$21,063.10	\$19,115.54

Liabilities, Reserves and Surplus

Accounts Payable	\$ 132.00	\$ 143.44
Departmental Balances	4,423.23	3,673.82
Reserve for Trust Funds	9,445.58	8,206.14
Surplus (See Sch. B)	7,062.29	7,092.14
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	\$21,063.10	\$19,115.54

SCHEDULE B

Analysis of Changes in Unappropriated Surplus**Year Ending January 31, 1961**

Balance, January 31, 1960		\$7,092.14
Increased by:		
Excise Taxes - 1961	\$ 648.35	
Excise Taxes - 1960	1,108.86	
Supplemental Taxes - 1960	458.78	
Supplemental Taxes - 1959	3.00	
Overlay	98.75	
Profit on sale of tax acquired property	1,581.67	
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		3,899.41
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		10,991.55
Decreased by:		
Appropriations	3,350.00	
Abatements	82.38	
Excess expenditures over available funds (See Sch. C, Col. 6)	496.88	
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		3,929.26
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Balance, January 31, 1961		\$7,062.29
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SCHEDULE C

STATEMENT OF DEPARTMENTAL OPERATIONS

Year Ending January 31, 1961

	Balance 2/1/60	Appro- priations	Cash Receipts	Total Available	Expendi- tures	To Surplus	Carried Forward	Accounts Payable
Administration:								
Town Officers	\$	\$2,100.00	\$	\$2,100.00	\$2,019.20	\$80.80	\$	\$
Town Charges	365.18	800.00	393.82	1,559.00	1,541.49	17.51		
	365.18	2,900.00	393.82	3,659.00	3,560.69	98.31		
Education:								
Schools	(468.63)	22,200.00	10,832.00	32,563.32	32,359.37		203.95	
School Equipment	24.07			24.07			24.07	
School Repairs	113.06	850.00		963.06	908.95		54.11	
Lunch Program	121.00	350.00		471.00	427.08		43.92	
School Authority Bonds		2,721.08		2,721.08	2,721.08			
	(210.55)	26,121.08	10,832.00	36,742.58	36,416.43		326.05	
Highways and Bridges:								
Roads and Bridges	436.00	4,000.00	120.78	4,556.78	4,608.38	(51.60)		
Winter Roads	114.80	3,500.00	2,819.70	6,434.50	6,984.67	(550.17)		
State Aid Construction		2,132.00	4,564.50	6,696.50	6,696.50			
Town Road Improvement Fund			4,800.30	4,800.30	4,800.30			
Brush Control	83.00	400.00		483.00	376.00		107.00	

	Balance	Appro-	Cash	Total	Expendi-	To	Carried	Accounts
	2/1/60	priations	Receipts	Available	tures	Surplus	Forward	Payable
Tractor House	115.37			115.37			115.37	
Grader Account	1,212.86		3,240.56	4,453.42	1,900.68		2,552.74	
	1,962.03	10,032.00	15,545.84	27,539.87	25,366.53	(601.77)	2,775.11	
Protection:								
Fire Department		500.00		500.00	500.00			
Fire Alarm	96.00			96.00	96.00	10.00		
Forest Fires	551.85			551.85			551.85	
Street Lights		72.00		72.00	72.00			
	647.85	572.00		1,219.85	658.00	10.00	551.85	
Health:								
Public Health Nurse		100.00		100.00	100.00			
		100.00		100.00	100.00			
Charity:								
Poor Account	684.99	300.00	18.00	1,002.99	502.50		500.49	
Aid to Dependent Children	36.92	700.00		736.92	740.34	3.42)		
	721.91	1,000.00	18.00	1,739.91	1,242.84	(3.42)	500.49	

TOWN OF PALERMO

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	Balance 2/1/60	Appro- priations	Cash Receipts	Total Available	Expendi- tures	To Surplus	Carried Forward	Accounts Payable
Unclassified:								
Citizens Group Cemeteries	(151.00)	200.00	151.00	200.00	2.42 191.25		197.58 (191.25)	
Dennis Hill Cemetery	38.40			38.40			38.40	
County Tax		2,122.90		2,122.90	2,122.90			
Temporary Loans			15,000.00	15,000.00	15,000.00			
Town Dump	300.00			300.00	75.00		225.00	126.00
Withholding Tax	130.70		1,799.95	1,930.65	1,804.65			6.00
Social Security Tax	12.74		145.83	158.57	152.57			
	330.84	2,322.90	17,096.78	19,750.52	19,343.79		269.73	132.00
	\$3,817.26	\$43,047.98	\$43,886.44	\$90,751.68	\$86,693.33	\$(496.88)	\$4,423.23	\$132.00

SCHEDULE D

Statement of Cash Receipts and Disbursements

Year Ending January 31, 1961

Cash Balance January 31, 1960

Cash in Bank \$5,202.37

Cash on Hand, Porcupine Fund 41.00

\$5,243.37

Add Cash Receipts:

Taxes Receiv., 1960 \$33,603.67

1959 2,492.21

1958 1.60

1956 1.25

\$36,098.73

Tax Liens, 1959 351.28

Tax Liens, 1958 134.40

485.68

Excise Taxes, 1961 648.35

Excise Taxes, 1960 3,709.09

4,357.44

Tax Acquired Property 2,280.93

Departmental Operations
(See Sch. C, Col. 3) 43,886.44

Total Cash Receipts 87,109.22

Total Cash Available 92,352.59

Deduct - Cash Disbursements:

Departmental Operations

(See Sch. C, Col. 5)	86,693.33	
Refund of 1960 Excise Tax	100.23	
Porcupine Bounty, Increase in Ac-		
counts Receivable	31.50	
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Total		86,825.06
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Cash Balance January 31, 1961		
Cash in Bank	5,518.03	
Cash on Hand, Porcupine Fund	9.50	
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		\$5,527.53

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